

AN ORDINANCE **97279**

**ACCEPTING THE RESIGNATION OF PART-TIME MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE DAVID J. RODRIGUEZ EFFECTIVE MARCH 1, 2003; DECLARING A VACANCY TO EXIST AS A RESULT OF THE RESIGNATION OF JUDGE RODRIGUEZ; AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER AND STAFF TO INITIATE ALL STEPS NECESSARY TO FILL THE VACANCY CREATED BY THE RESIGNATION OF JUDGE RODRIGUEZ; EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY IF PASSED BY AT LEAST EIGHT (8) VOTES.**

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**WHEREAS**, on January 6, 2000 David J. Rodriguez was appointed as a part-time Municipal Court Judge by the City Council of the City of San Antonio; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 16, 2001, Judge Rodriguez was reappointed by the City Council for a term to expire on August 31, 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, Judge Rodriguez has submitted his resignation effective March 1, 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of San Antonio now wishes to accept the resignation of Judge Rodriguez, declare a vacancy to exist as a result of his resignation and direct the City Manager and her staff to initiate all steps necessary to fill the vacancy created by this resignation; **NOW THEREFORE:**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:**

**SECTION 1.** The resignation effective March 1, 2003 of Municipal Court Judge David J. Rodriguez received February 5, 2003 by the Office of the Mayor, is hereby accepted. A copy of said resignation is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

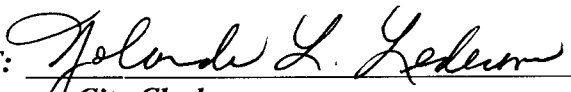
**SECTION 2.** A vacancy is hereby declared to exist as a result of the resignation of Judge Rodriguez, and the City Manager and her staff are therefore directed to initiate all steps necessary to fill the vacancy created by this resignation.


**SECTION 3.** Because of the need to replace Judge Rodriguez as quickly as possible so that the operations of Municipal Court are not affected by the vacancy created by this resignation, the City Council deems an emergency exists, making it necessary to provide

for an immediate effective date upon passage by eight (8) affirmative votes; otherwise, said effective date shall be ten (10) days from the date of passage hereof.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 6th day of March, 2003.

  
**M A Y O R**  
**EDWARD D. GARZA**

**ATTEST:**   
**City Clerk**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**   
**City Attorney**